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THE Two following Addresses from the Justices of the Peace and Grand-Jury of the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace assembled for the County Palatine of *Durham*, on the 23d Day of *April*, 1707. and from the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council, of Her Majesty's City of *Durham*, the First Day of *May* ensuing, were presented by Sir *Henry Bellasis*, one of the Representatives in Parliament for the City of *Durham*, who at the same time had the Honour to kiss Her Majesty's Hand: Introduc'd by Mr. Secretary *Harley*.

To the QUEEN's *most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Justices of the Peace and Grand Jury, at the General Quarter-Sessions of the Peace assembled for the County Palatine of *Durham*, the 23d Day of *April*, 1707.

May it please Your Majesty,

OUT of a deep Sense of the manifold Blessings wherewith it has pleased Almighty God to signalize Your Majesty's most happy Reign; we Your most dutiful and loyal Subjects do humbly beg Leave to approach Your Majesty with our Congratulations upon this so long desir'd Occasion, the happy Union of Your Two Kingdoms, peculiarly reserv'd as a Completion of Your other most Glorious Atchievements; the Protestant Succession, and a lasting Peace, being now so firmly established by it.

Madam, *We in an especial manner are obliged to Your Majesty for giving the finishing Stroke to this great Work, whereby we and our Posterity are freed from the Insults and Inroads of our heretofore bordering Enemies, but now united Friends. And that Your Majesty may long, very long, live to enjoy the Effects of so happy a Work, is, and shall be, the united and most earnest Prayer of, Madam, Your most dutiful and loyal Subjects.*

To the QUEEN's *most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, and Common-Council, of Your Majesty's City of *Durham*, the First Day of *May*, in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's Glorious Reign.

Dread Sovereign,

WE Your Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, cannot but with all Thankfulness acknowledge, that ever since Your Majesty's happy Accession to the Imperial Crown of these Realms, Your Majesty has shewn the greatest Love and tenderest Concern for Your People, and thereby established Your Government on such a Foundation, as will for ever oblige them to Your Majesty by Affection as well as Duty; the blessed Effects whereof we happily enjoy by Your Protecting of us in our Rights and Properties, and by bringing about the long wish'd-for and desir'd Union of the Two Kingdoms of England *and* Scotland; *by which a lasting Security is made to the Peace and Quiet of Your Majesty's Government, the Protestant Succession, and the Reformed Religion.*

We can never enough admire Your Majesty's Wisdom and Prudence in the accomplishing so great a Work, nor sufficiently commend Your Majesty's peculiar Care of all Your Subjects in the Terms of this happy Union: A Work thought insuperable by Your Royal Predecessors, and seem'd by Providence to be reserv'd as an Addition to the Glories of Your Reign.

Madam, *Having made our Addresses to Heaven, in Obedience to Your late Gracious Proclamation for a General Thanksgiving, we humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty upon this happy Occasion, and to assure Your Majesty, That as we and* Scotland *are One Nation, we will endeavour to become so in Interest and Affection too, and shew we are in Heart as well as by Treaty an united People.*

That God would continue to direct Your Councils, and to prosper Your Arms, and make us all zealous to promote His Glory, the Honour of Your Majesty, and the common Welfare and Happiness of this great united Nation; and that all Your Subjects of Great Britain *may henceforth live in true and perfect Charity to one another, are, and shall be, the constant Wishes and Prayers of Your Majesty's most dutiful and obedient Subjects.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Penryn* was presented to Her Majesty by the Rt. Hon. *James Vernon* Esq; Recorder of the said Borough, and one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Recorder, Capital-Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Borough of *Penryn*, in the County of *Cornwall*.

Most Dread Sovereign,

After our most dutiful and loyal Addresses for Your late and glorious Victories both by Sea and Land, we humbly crave Leave to Congratulate Your Majesty on the wonderful and happy Conclusion of an Union between Your Two Kingdoms; a Thing of too great Nicety and Difficulty to be accomplish'd in any other but Your auspicious Reign; Divine Providence seeming to have reserved the Glory for You, that You might be admired, esteemed, and feared by the whole World; for by so great a Work we may most justly conclude that the Protestant Religion will be established, our Laws and Properties preserved, our Allies incouraged, our Enemies disappointed, and the Strength and Honour of both Kingdoms highly advanced.

May therefore the God of all Union perpetuate the Establishment of these inestimable Blessings towards us, to continue a most wise and prudent Council, a Parliament with Hearts wholly inclined to Unity and Concord, a Commonalty indued with the utmost Loyalty and Zeal for Your Majesty's Person and Government; and may Your Majesty late exchange a Finite for an Infinite Crown; which are the hearty Prayers of Your most dutiful and loyal Subjects.

The following Address was presented to Her Majesty by *Bernard Halpenny* Esq; High-Sheriff of the County of *Hertford*; introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Essex*, Lord Lieutenant of the said County.

The humble Address of the High-Sheriff, Deputy-Lieutenants, and Justices of the Peace, of the County of Hertford.

May it please Your Majesty,

WE Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, deeply sensible of the many Blessings we enjoy under Your Majesty's most glorious and auspicious Reign, do most humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty upon the Union of Your Two Kingdoms, England *and* Scotland, *ineffectually attempted by several of Your Majesty's Royal Predecessors, now happily compleated, under God, by Your Majesty's great Wisdom, and Concern for the Safety of Your People, and Security of the Protestant Succession.*

May Your Majesty and Your People enjoy the desired Effects of this happy Union: May the Hearts of Your Subjects of Great Britain *be entirely united: May a continued Series of Successes bless Your Majesty's Arms, till Your Majesty's great Designs, and Your Peoples utmost Happiness, be compleated in an Honourable and Lasting Peace: And may Your Majesty long live, the Favourite of Heaven, and the Delight of Your People.*

The following Address from the Borough of *Bridgnorth* was presented to Her Majesty by Sir *Humphrey Briggs* Bar. one of their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Bradford*.

To Her most Excellent Majesty the Queen of Great Britain, France *and* Ireland.

The humble Address of the Bayliffs, Aldermen, Common-Council, Burgesses, and other Inhabitants, of Your Majesty's ancient and loyal Corporation of *Bridgnorth* in the County of *Salop*.

May it please Your Majesty,

TO enumerate the transcendent Instances of Your Royal Goodness to Your People, would take as long a Time as has been spent in Attempts towards the Union of Your Kingdoms. Your Steddiness in Religion in Times of greatest Difficulty, Your tender Concern for the Protestant Succession, Your pious Protection of our Religion and Laws, Your prudent Alliances, and noble Atchievements of Your Arms, amongst many more such Graces, have made You the Fear and Admiration of all the World: But how much will that be improv'd when Two powerful Kingdoms are united in Interest and Affection, by the Influence of Your Wisdom and Councils? 'Tis for Your Majesty's immortal Honour that such Victories attend Your Arms abroad, and such Peace and Union Your Government at home: An Union never before accomplish'd, tho' often unsuccessfully attempted: An Union that strengthens Your Majesty, and secures the Protestant Religion to future Ages. And 'tis a Matter of great Importance that Scotland *must no more be an Enemy to* England, *or an Ally to* France: *The Prospect we have of this Happiness to our selves, and our Posterity, makes us proclaim our Thankfulness to Your Majesty, in all sincere Duty; and devoutly pray, That Your Ma-*

jesty, after a long Enjoyment of the Benefit of Your own Prudence and Councils here, may be rewarded hereafter with an immortal Crown of Glory. In Testimony whereof, we have hereunto affixed the Common Seal of our Corporation, and subscribed our Names, the First Day of May, *in the Sixth Year of Your Sacred Majesty's most glorious Reign.*

The following Address from the Corporation of *Lydd* was presented to Her Majesty by *John Brewer* Esq; their Recorder.

To the QUEEN's *most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the Bayliff, Jurats and Commonalty, of the ancient Corporation of *Lydd* in the County of *Kent*.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE *Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty in Your successful Endeavours for the happy Union of* England *and* Scotland *into One Kingdom, One Interest, and one and the same Succession in the Protestant Line; by which means the Two Bodies of* Great Britain, *now happily become One, under One Head, may be secured from having a divided Interest in Times to come.*

We have, Dread Sovereign, seen and enjoyed the many blessed Effects of Your Majesty's great Goodness and Wisdom during the whole Course of Your Reign; by which the Honour of Your Majesty and Your Subjects hath not only been preserved, but justly advanced in remote Places abroad; our Security and Happiness established at home, and by this means more effectually transmitted to Posterity. And that Your Majesty may long live and enjoy the Blessings of this great Work, which, by Your Majesty's Wisdom and Conduct, hath been so wonderfully accomplish'd; and that all Your Majesty's Subjects may be united in their Loyalty, and grateful Sense of Your Majesty's happy Government, are the Prayers of Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Bayliff, Jurats and Commonalty, of Lydd. *Given under the Common Seal of our Corporation this* 21st *of* April, 1707.

The following Address from the Town of *Winchelsea* was presented to Her Majesty by *George Doddington* Esq; one of their Representatives in Parliament.

To Her most Excellent Majesty ANNE, *Queen of* Great Britain.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Jurats, Freemen, and other Inhabitants, of Your Majesty's ancient Town and Cinque-Port of *Winchelsea*.

MADAM,

WE *Your Majesty's most dutiful Subjects, the Mayor, Jurats, Freemen, and other Inhabitants, of Your ancient Town and Cinque-Port of* Winchelsea, *who, with the greatest Joy and Satisfaction, have heretofore so oft congratulated Your Majesty on the happy and wonderful Successes of Your Victorious Arms abroad, do now with the highest Veneration beg Leave to approach Your Sacred Throne, with our most solemn, hearty and unfeigned Congratulations of the no less prosperous and surprizing Effects of Your wise Councils at home; whereby You have accomplished an Union of Your late distinct Kingdoms of* England *and* Scotland, *to both so beneficial for the Wealth, Strength and Safety, of the whole Island, and for the lasting Establishment of the Protestant Religion therein, as that we and all our Posterity must justly immortalize You, as the first Monarch of* Great Britain, *and the real Defender of the Faith, for ever with Thankfulness, ascribing to Your Piety, Prudence and Conduct, the Happiness of this United Nation, in the present Quiet and Tranquility thereof, the firm Establishment of the Succession, and the Security of our Religion, together with all future blessed Effects we may reasonably expect from this long desired Union.*

We cannot but confess, Madam, That such an astonishing and amazing Work, so oft in vain attempted by Your Royal Predecessors, deserves greater Elogies and Praises than we are able to express; but we are assured likewise, That Your well-known Virtue and Goodness is graciously pleased to accept the Acknowledgments of the meanest of Your Subjects, when proceeding from Hearts full of Loyalty and Gratitude.

Permit us therefore, Dread Sovereign, with such our Gratulations, on the Conclusion of this happy Union, to repeat to Your Majesty the firm Assurances of our entire Satisfaction under Your most propitious Government, to declare our steddy Resolutions to cultivate Peace and Amity among our selves, to promote (as far as in us lies) Love and Unity among all Your British Subjects, and ever pray for Your Britannick Majesty's long and happy Reign over us, and eternal Felicity in the World to come.

In Testimony whereof we have caused the Seal of our Corporation to be hereunto affixed this 6th Day of May, 1707. *in the Sixth Year of Your Majesty's most glorious Reign.*

The following Address from the County of *York* was presented to Her Majesty by *William Thornton* Esq; introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Wharton*: And Her Majesty was Graciously pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood on the said Mr. *Thornton*.

To the QUEEN's *most Excellent Majesty,*

The humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, and Gentlemen, assembled at the Assizes held at the Castle of *York*, for the said County, the 14th Day of *March*, 1706.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE *Your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, humbly beg Leave to congratulate Your Majesty on the happy Union of the Two Kingdoms of* England *and* Scotland: *A Work that could never have been effected but by the unparallel'd Wisdom of Your Majesty, and* great Diligence of the present Ministry.

We do assure Your Majesty, That we will use all Endeavours to improve the good Consequences of it; and will, to our Utmost, defend Your Majesty and Your United Kingdoms against all Opposers whatsoever.

The following Address from the City of *Winchester* was presented to Her Majesty by the Hon. the Lord *William Powlett*, and *George Rodney Bridges* Esq; their Representatives in Parliament; introduced by his Grace the Duke of *Bolton*, Lord High Steward, and Lord Lieutenant of the County of *Southampton*.

To our most Excellent QUEEN *of* Great-Britain.

The humble Address of the Mayor, Bailiffs, and Commonalty, of Your Majesty's very ancient and loyal City of *Winchester*.

WE *Your Majesty's truly dutiful Subjects, fill'd with Zeal for Your Service, and with an Unfeign'd Love to Your Sacred Person and Establish'd Government, do most heartily Congratulate Your Majesty for all Your acquir'd Great Glories of Your Reign, particularly that of the Union of Your Two Kingdoms of* England *and* Scotland.

'Tis by Your Majesty's Wise and Just Administration of Affairs, that we have the Blessings of so much Prosperity at Home, and a Prospect of such an Honourable Peace Abroad.

And 'tis our Resolution, Madam, to live in such Unity and Amity, as to contend in nothing more than who shall most Love and most Faithfully Serve our most Good, most Gracious, and most Illustrious Queen of Great-Britain.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto affix'd our Common Seal this Fifth Day of May, *in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seven.*

The following Address has also been presented to Her Majesty.

To the QUEEN.

The humble Address of Sir *Arthur Owen* Bar. High Sheriff of the County of *Pembroke*, the Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, and others of the Gentry and Clergy, met together at the Great Sessions holden for the said County, *April* 17. 1707.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

SInce by the peculiar Blessing of *Almighty* God on Your Majesty, and all Your Undertakings, You have given Your Subjects frequent Opportunities to Congratulate Your Majesty upon those astonishing Successes which have always waited on Your victorious Arms abroad, both at Sea and Land;

Give us Leave, Madam, once more to lay our selves at Your Royal Feet, to do the like upon Your late wonderful and happy Success at home, in uniting all Your Subjects of this great Island into one Body: A Success that crowns all the Triumphs of Your most Glorious Reign, and raises new Trophies to Your immortal Honour: A Success which Heaven thought fit to deny the Glory of to all Your Royal Ancestors, of how great Merit soever they were, but has reserved it for Your Majesty alone.

For by this happy Union, Your Majesty now convinces the World, That You know as well how to conquer the Hearts of Your own People by Your Wisdom and Goodness, as to subdue Your Enemies by the Power and Justice of Your Sword; and thereby You are a great Example to all Sovereign Princes how to Govern (as You do) after the most God-like manner, in the Affections of their People; and teach their Subjects too how to obey (as Yours do) with the greatest Readiness and Alacrity.

And as a Proof of this in our selves, we most humbly beseech Your Majesty to be assured, That we will use our utmost Endeavours, in our several Stations, to make the People of our Country sensible of the many good Effects of this Union, and what they owe to Your Majesty for bringing it to so happy and speedy

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a Concluſion; that ſo they may in all Things anſwer Your Majeſty's Commands and Expectation, and behave themſelves as becomes the Subjects of ſo great a Queen.

And we do in a moſt particular manner acknowledge Your Majeſty's great Piety and Care, in ſecuring and perpetuating the Proteſtant Religion to the whole Iſland, and to us; that Church which hath ever been, and by the Grace of God we hope ever will be, the Bulwark and Glory of all Proteſtant Churches, the Church of England *as now by Law eſtabliſhed.*

That Your Majeſty may long, long, Reign over this Your Kingdom of Great Britain, *and ſee it flouriſh anſwerably to Your Princely Wiſhes, and the Unwearied Pains You have taken to make it do ſo, is the moſt hearty Prayer of, May it pleaſe Your Majeſty, Your Majeſty's moſt dutiful, moſt loyal, and moſt devoted Subjects.*

All which Addreſſes Her Majeſty received very graciouſly.

Whereas an Addreſs from the Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council, of the Town of *Newcaſtle* upon *Tyne*, was inſerted in *Thurſday's* Gazette; The ſaid Addreſs was preſented to Her Majeſty the 4th Inſtant by Sir *Henry Lyddell* Bar. and *William Carr* Eſq; their Repreſentatives in Parliament: Introduced by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of *Scarborough*, Lord Lieutenant of the ſame.

Turin, April 30. *N. S.* The 28th Inſtant the Duke of Savoy, being well recovered of his late Indiſpoſition, gave private Audiences to the Spaniſh and Pruſſian Envoys; and at preſent appears in Publick, and receives Applications as uſual. The ſame Day the Emperor's Envoy went from hence for Milan, where he deſigns to ſtay ſome time with Prince Eugene. The Officers who accompanied Prince Vaudemont, with the Troops under his Command through this State, returned hither the laſt Night from Buſſolin, which is within a little March of Suza, where the Troops will arrive this Evening. By the beſt Accounts which we have been able to get of the Enemy's Strength, as they paſſed through Piedmont, we compute them at 8000 Foot and 3500 Horſe. The Hereditary Prince of Heſſe-Caſſel is expected here the next Week from Genoa; his Troops, as well as the Palatine and Pruſſian, are to march out of their Quarters between the 10th and 15th of the next Month, in order to join his Royal Highneſs's Forces.

Genoa, May 1. *N. S.* It is here ſaid, the Marquis of Vaſto will be made Duke of Maſſa. The Prince who is at preſent poſſeſs'd of that Sovereignty, lately paſs'd by this Place in his Way to Milan, being in Hopes to prevail with Prince Eugene to intercede for him with the Emperor and King of Spain, to excuſe his having acted in Compliance with the State of Milan, as being a Feuditary of that Durchy. A Domeſtick of the Envoy of the Queen of Great Britain was lately murde'd in the Streets by a Stab in the Back with a Dagger; the Perſon who did it made his Eſcape, and took Refuge in a Convent. The Envoy has demanded of the Government to have him deliver'd up into the Hands of Juſtice; and it is not queſtion'd but he will be anſwer'd to his Satisfaction.

Berne, May 7. The Differences between the Proteſtants and Roman Catholicks in the Country of Tockenburgh are compos'd, to the Satisfaction of both Parties. The New Edict in France for making their Mint-Bills current throughout the Kingdom, and obliging every Body to take in them One Third of all Payments, has given the finiſhing Stroke to the Publick Credit there, and creates ſuch loud Complaints, that it is thought, unleſs the Court repeals it, the People will be provok'd to an Inſurrection. It falls very heavy on the Merchants of Lions, and has much alarm'd all their Correſpondents in Italy, and other Parts, who are like to be Sufferers by it.

Paris, May 13. *N. S.* Our Court every Day publiſhes ſome new Particulars of the late Victory in Spain; tho' they have not yet thought fit to give a full and exact Relation of it. The Duke of Berwick's Army on the Day of Battle conſiſted of 73 Squadrons and 52 Battalions: The Victory was doubtful for near two Hours, and did not wholly incline to us till ſix in the Evening. The Spaniſh Horſe are ſaid to have contributed very much to it. The Battalions of the Enemy which had retreated among the Mountains, ſeeing themſelves entirely cut off from all Supplies of Proviſions and Communication with their Army, ſurrendred themſelves the Day after the Engagement, upon no other Terms than that the Officers ſhould not be plundered. The Loſs on our ſide is very conſiderable: There are kill'd in one Regiment 13 Captains, beſides Monſieur Polaſtron the Colonel, who is ſucceeded in that Command by a Son of the Marſhal de Teſſe. We hear the Enemy are retired towards Alicant. The Duke de Noailles has met with a very great Diſappointment in Catalonia; for having carry'd on a ſecret Correſpondence in the Gariſon of Puicerda, and concerted a Deſign for ſurprizing that Place, he marched thither in the Night, at the Head of ſome choſen Troops, and with great Order and Silence came up to the Gates of the Town; but the Governor, who had diſcovered his Intelligence a few Hours before, had prepared all things for his Reception. The Gariſon being under Arms, made a ſudden Fire upon his Men, and at the ſame time in a general Sally attack'd them with ſuch unexpected Fury, that they kill'd 800 on the Place, and put the reſt to flight. The King has made Monſieur Silly Lieutenant-General, and given Monſieur Medavi the Government of the Province of Nivernois.

Bruſſels, May 16. On Wedneſday the 11th Inſtant his Grace the Duke of Marlborough left the Hague. His Grace lay that Night at Moerdyke, and came on Thurſday to Antwerp, and the next Day to this Place, having been ſaluted with firing of the Guns, and complimented by the Magiſtracy of the ſeveral Towns thro' which he paſs'd. His Grace has order'd the Troops to march out of their ſeveral Gariſons towards the Camp of Hall, where the laſt will arrive the 21ſt Inſtant, at which time his Grace will join them, in order to form his Army, and open the Campaign. The Enemy give out, they intend to take the Field on the 25th, and to encamp at Pieton.

Hague, May 17. *N. S.* We hear the Pruſſian Troops that have been on their March ſome Days ſince arrived near Louvain on the 15th Inſtant: They will begin to morrow to encamp at Anderlach near Bruſſels, where they will be joined by thoſe that have been canton'd in the Neighbourhood of Malines. The Enemy's are in motion on their ſide, and begin to rendezvous near Mons, where the Duke of Bavaria and Duke of Vendoſme are at preſent. They intend to have two flying Camps, one commanded by Connt Gacé near Charleroy, and the other by the Count de la Motte near Ypres, in order to be within reach of the great Army on any Emergency. Here are Reports of a Battle that has been fought between the Swedes and Muſcovites, in which the latter have had the Advantage: But the Swediſh Miniſter having received no Advice of this nature, we cannot give any Credit to them.

Cowes, May 7. The Young Abraham of Fluſhing has brought in to the Mother-Bank a French Privateer of 26 Guns, which was in the late Action with the Dunkirk Squadron in the Channel off Beachy.

Whitehall, May 10. Her Majeſty has been pleas'd to conſtitute the Brigadiers-General *How*, *Mordaunt*, *Brudenall*, *Farrington* and *Shrimpton*, Major-Generals of Her Majeſty's Armies.

Whitehall, May 11. Yeſterday arrived Letters from Lisbon, dated May 4. N. S. which inform us, That they had then received no freſh Advice from Valentia ſince the Departure of the Earl Rivers. The Portugueſe Troops were then on their March to Ciudad-Rodrigo; the Marquis de Frontero being gone as far as Santerem, on his Way thither. The Duke of Cadaval was to follow within 10 Days, intending to enter